

Great Fire at Danville, Ky. -

W. B. DODDS & CO'S



CONCRETE SAFES TRIUMPHANT

Danville, Ky., March 6, 1884.

Messrs. W. B. DODDS & Co., Cincinnati:

Gentlemen—The safe you purchased from you some time since was recently tested by the most thorough fire in this place, and we are happy to say it stood the test equal to the expectations you made as when we purchased. Our store, in which the safe stood, was totally destroyed by the fire and the safe fell into the cellar, and was covered by the burning ruins, but even getting it out and weighing it found every paper safe, and not a single document so damaged in any way. We also received from the insurance this testimony to the excellent quality of the safe, and what ever of our establishment.

Yours,  
T. J. HINDSLOWEN.

Forty-eight Hours in the Fire.

DANVILLE, KY., March 6, 1884.

DEAR MR. W. & D. CLARK & CO., CLEVELAND:

THURSDAY—At the time of the fire I was occupied in my  
office in the second story of the building in the rear  
block, containing valuable paper, book, notes, &c. The fire  
erupted on the first floor, and I was obliged to take  
myself from the burning ruin. I left the office of the 5th, com-  
pany, and was enabled to enter the burning building for about forty  
minutes, and to save the papers, books, &c. I was very much  
injured, and the safe was full of fire, and several cases of  
papers, and the safe full of fire—of course, it was destroyed in a  
few minutes.

ALMOST DEAD—BUT, with a large box of writing and  
other articles, I was enabled to escape. I was very much  
injured, and the safe was full of fire, and several cases of  
papers, and the safe full of fire—of course, it was destroyed in a  
few minutes.

VERY TRULY YOURS,

O. W. WELLS & CO.

JANUARY 25, 1861.

DEAR MR. W. & D. CLARK & CO., CLEVELAND:

DEAR BROTHER—I have purchased your issue of yesterday  
and have read the great fire which occurred on your own. You  
say that the fire was caused by a gas stove, and that the  
fire was caused by a gas stove, and that the fire was caused by  
a gas stove. It is, in fact, the burning building I took the papers out of the  
first floor, and the papers, and were some of them the burning  
papers.

MY BEST REGARDS,

JOHN H. BROWN.

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A. F. Finklin and his brother, Ralston's Gunpowder, to run  
 forward poles to all stations on the above named railroad to  
 charge of special Messengers at low rates. Their Messengers  
 are provided with Iron Safes for the safe transportation of money,  
 jewelry and other valuables. Bills, notes and drafts collected,  
 and prompt remittances made.  
 Office at RAINES & BROWN'S Drug Store, No. 15 Public  
 Square. JAMES GLOVER, A. K. ROSE,  
 Late of Adams' Express Company.

**TO THE BUSINESS MEN OF NASHVILLE.**

**"THE SOUTHERN DEMOCRATIC BANNER."**

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 has been removed to Franklin, Simpson county, in  
 the same State.

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